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### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION FOR  
APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN ITS GAS SALES  
SERVICE RATES ("GSR") TO BE EFFECTIVE  
NOVEMBER 1, 2014  
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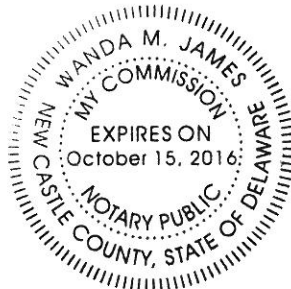
#### PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: ALL NATURAL GAS CUSTOMERS OF  
CHESAPEAKE UTILITIES CORPORATION AND  
OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS

A Hearing Examiner of the Delaware Public Service  
Commission will conduct a public comment session con-  
cerning the above-captioned matter (as further ex-  
plained below) at the following time and location:

Tuesday, October 28, 2014,  
at 6:00 p.m.  
Delaware Public Service Commission  
Hearing Room  
861 Silver Lake Blvd., Suite 100  
Dover, DE 19904

**Chesapeake Utilities Corporation's Gas Sales**



### Service Rates Application

Pursuant to 26 Del. C. §§303(b), 304, and 306, Chesapeake Utilities Corporation ("Chesapeake" or "the Company") has filed an application (the "Application") with the Delaware Public Service Commission (the "Commission") seeking to change its Gas Sales Service ("GSR") Rates as follows:

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Present Rate</u>	<u>Proposed Rate</u>
RS-1, RS-2, GS, MVS, LVS	\$1.132 per Ccf	\$1.069 per Ccf
GLR, GLO	\$0.656 per Ccf	\$0.552 per Ccf
HLFS	\$0.941 per Ccf	\$0.849 per Ccf

Compared to the rates currently in effect, an average RS-2 customer using 700 Ccf per year will experience an annual decrease of approximately 3.8%, or \$3.67 per month. During the winter heating season, a typical RS-2 customer using 110 Ccf per winter month will experience a decrease of approximately 4.2%, or \$6.93 per winter month.

The Company has also proposed the following changes to its firm and interruptible transportation balancing rates:

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Prior Firm Balancing Rate</u>	<u>Proposed Firm Balancing Rate</u>
LVS	\$0.072 per Ccf	\$0.058 per Ccf
HLFS	\$0.015 per Ccf	\$0.012 per Ccf

<u>Rate Schedule</u>	<u>Prior Interruptible Balancing Rate</u>	<u>Proposed Interruptible Balancing Rate</u>
ITS	\$0.001 per Ccf	\$0.001 per Ccf

The Commission has permitted the proposed GSR and other rates to become effective with usage on and after November 1, 2014, subject to refund and pending the Commission's final decision after evidentiary hearings and any other proceedings that may be necessary.

The Commission will conduct evidentiary hearings, to be scheduled at a later date, concerning this Application. The Commission's final decision will be based on the evidence presented at such hearings.

If you wish to formally participate as a party in this matter, with the right to present evidence and be represented by counsel, you must file with the Commission a written petition asking for leave to intervene in accordance with the requirements of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure (26 Del. Admin. C. §1001-2.9) **on or before October 29, 2014**. All such petitions should be e-filed according to the Commission's Rules (26 Del. Admin. C. §1001-1.6.4). Petitions filed after the deadline of October 29, 2014, will not be considered except for good cause shown.

You are invited to review Chesapeake's Application and supporting documents to determine how your interests may be affected. You may review documents posted on the Commission's website at <http://depssc.delaware.gov/>. If you would like to review documents at the Commission's offices, please contact Alisa Bentley at [alisa.bentley@state.de.us](mailto:alisa.bentley@state.de.us) to arrange a time for your review. You may also review copies of Chesapeake's Application and supporting documents at the office of the Division of the Public Advocate located at 29 South State Street, Dover, DE 19901. Please call (302) 241-2555 to arrange for a time to review the documents at that location.

If you wish to request copies of documents in this matter, please submit a Freedom of Information Act Request Form. This form may be found at <http://smu.portal.delaware.gov/cgi-bin/mail.php?foia-request&subj=DOS>. There is also a link to the Freedom of Information Act Request Form on the Commission's website, <http://depssc.delaware.gov/>. The Commission will respond to your request in accordance with the Delaware Freedom of Information Act, 29 Del. C. ch. 100.

If you have a disability and wish to participate or to review the materials in this matter, please contact the Commission to discuss any auxiliary aids or services you might need to help you. You may contact the Commission in person, by writing, by telephone (including text telephone), by Internet e-mail, or other means.

If you have questions about this matter, you may call the Commission at 1-800-282-8574 (toll-free in Delaware) or (302) 736-7500 (voice and text telephone). You may also send questions regarding this matter by Internet e-mail addressed to [psc@state.de.us](mailto:psc@state.de.us).

